

APPENDIX A
"CLEAN" VERSION OF EACH PARAGRAPH/SECTION/CLAIM
37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b)(ii) AND (c)(i)

CLAIMS (with indication of amended or new):

3bD1 **AMENDED** 26. A process for forming a multi-ply fiber web comprising:
moving a first belt in a first direction toward a combining section and moving the first belt at a first orientation in the combining section, and forming a first fiber ply on the moving first belt;
forming a second fiber ply on a first wire section wire; advancing the first wire section wire with the second ply thereon in a second direction toward the combining section;
combining the first fiber ply on the first belt with the second fiber ply on the first wire section wire by applying the first wire section wire onto the first belt in the combining section;
the second fiber ply being formed in a region which, along the first direction of the first belt, lies upstream of the combining section, and running the second fiber ply on the first wire section wire in the second direction into the combining section at an angle with respect to the first orientation of the first belt entering the combining section.

C1 **NEW** **3bE1** 30. The process of Claim 26, wherein the second fiber ply is run into the combining section at an angle of less than 90° with respect to the first orientation of the first belt.

C2 **NEW** 31. The process of Claim 26, wherein the forming of the second fiber ply comprises forming the second fiber ply on the first wire section wire by additionally moving a second wire section wire toward the first wire section wire for forming the second fiber ply between the first and the second wire section wires while the first and second wire section wires are moving toward the combining section, and then separating the second wire section wire from the first wire section wire while the first wire section wire is moving in the second direction and before the first wire section wire reaches the combining section.

NEW 32. The process of Claim 31, wherein the second wire section wire moves toward the first wire section wire and thereafter separates from the first wire section wire upstream of the combining section along the first direction of the first belt.

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NEW *be* 33. The process of Claim 31, wherein the first wire section wire is overlaid above the second wire section wire as the second wire section wire moves toward the first wire section wire and as the first and second wire section wires are passed along a curved pathway into the second direction.

NEW 34. The process of Claim 28, wherein the suspension is directed into the beginning of the gap at a location along the first direction of the first belt that lies upstream of the combining section.

NEW 35. The process of Claim 28, wherein the second wire section wire moves toward the first wire section and also thereafter separates from the first wire section wire upstream of the combining section along the first direction of the first belt.

NEW 36. The process of Claim 29, wherein the second wire section wire moves toward the first wire section and also thereafter separates from the first wire section wire upstream of the combining section along the first direction of the first belt.
